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Boise Rescue Mission Makes 5000 Tamales for Canyon County!

WHAT: Boise Rescue Mission's Annual TAMALE BUILD! 70 volunteers will make 5,000 tamales in one day!

WHEN: Saturday, November 21, 2009

WHERE: Skyview High School (1303 E. Greenhurst Rd, Nampa, ID 83686)

WHY: To prepare home-made tamales to be served to families in need at Boise Rescue Mission's Nampa Great Thanksgiving Banquet and Christmas Banquet

On November 21st, 70 volunteers will gather to make 5,000 tamales in one day! These home-made tamales will be served at Boise Rescue Mission's Great Thanksgiving Banquet in Nampa on November 25th. Boise Rescue Mission expects to serve over 2700 meals to families in need at this year's Thanksgiving banquet.

Skyview High School has generously offered their facilities to host the 2009 Tamale Build! To make this event possible, donations have been made by Campos Market, CTR Cleanup and Total Restoration, and Fred Meyer. Volunteers will also enjoy a great lunch, donated by Smokey Mountain Pizza in Nampa.

Last year, Boise Rescue Mission provided 7,601 meals (Traditional and Tamale) at four holiday banquets in Nampa and Boise (Thanksgiving and Christmas). They gave away over 2,600 food boxes, 2,600 turkeys, and 4,700 warm winter coats. The Mission is currently serving an average of 1,000 meals per day out of three shelters. Thanks to generous individuals, churches, and businesses in the community, the Rescue Mission is able to continuously serve the Treasure Valley.

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